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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 - EXPEDITED
PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 2194**

Attorney Docket No. 5670-40

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Prabakaran et al

Serial No.: 10/092,646

Filed: March 6, 2002

For: METHODS FOR MANAGING OBJECTS CREATED IN A DIRECTORY
SERVICE

Group Art Unit: 2194

Confirmation No.: 8485

Examiner: Qing Yuan Wu

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

Applicants provide the present response to address the issues raised in the Final Office Action mailed August 9, 2005 ("Final Action") and pursuant to the rules stated in revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121 that became effective on July 30, 2003.

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.